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NORTHERN IRELAND ELECTION

Labour Gains Two Seats In Belfast

A UNIONIST Government has been returned with a majority in the Northern Ireland elections, but not without sacrifices, for, against four losses—South Down, Mourne, Oldpark and Dock—the Unionists recorded only one gain in West Down, where Mr. T. Baillie, former Independent, accepted the party ticket.

Two important gains were made by the Labour Party. In the Oldpark division in Belfast Mr. R. Getgood defeated Sir Wilson Hungerford, the Unionist Chief Whip, by a majority of 2,439. In Dock area, also in Belfast, the Unionists lost a seat to Labour.

The success of the Socialist-Republican candidate, Mr. H. Diamond, in Falls division of Belfast—a traditional Nationalist seat—may be taken as an indication that the younger members of the Nationalist side are not content to accept tradition. At a by-election in 1941 the late Mr. E. Donnelly (Republican) won the seat.

Mr. R. Getgood.

Cabinet Ministers retaining their seats are: Mr. E. Warnock, Minister of Home Affairs; Major J. Maynard Sinclair, Minister of Finance; the Rev. Robert Moore, Minister of Agriculture; Mr. W. Grant, Minister of Health, and Lieutenant-Colonel S. H. Hall Thompson, Minister of Education. The Attorney-General, Mr. W. Lowry, was also successful.

The Nationalists will be the strongest Opposition party. They gained 3 seats, and will have 10 representatives in the new House.

Official Labour will have only 2 seats, although the returns indicate that there has been a definite swing towards Socialism in several other constituencies.

PREMIER'S COMMENT

Sir Basil Brooke, the Prime Minister, in a statement, said that, although the election resulted in the loss of a small number of Unionist seats, some to Nationalists and some to Socialists, examination of the returns showed that "the great majority of the electors remain firm in their determination to uphold Ulster's constitutional status within the United Kingdom and the British Empire.

"This was the supreme issue of the election," he said. "No special importance is to be attached to the fact that the Nationalists regained two border constituencies—South Down and Mourne, where, for reasons of their own, they did not challenge the Unionists at the last election.

"Displacement of two Unionist members by Socialists is due to exaggerated fears of mass unemployment consequent on the ending of the war in Europe.

"The results represent another impressive declaration in favour of the permanence of Ulster's tradition as an integral part of the United Kingdom," the Premier declared. "Both inside and outside Unionist circles it is clearly realised that to separate Ulster from Great Britain and unite it with Eire would strike a deadly blow at our whole industrial economy.

"During the war, the people of Great Britain have learned much about Northern Ireland's many-sided contribution to the cause of the Allied nations. This contribution was the direct outcome of Ulster's allegiance to the Crown and its position as a component part of the United Kingdom.

"In words that have already become historic, Mr. Churchill has paid a tribute to Ulster's wartime achievements, and has placed them in the sharpest contrast with the attitude of the Eire Government.

"Over and over again Mr. de Valera has demanded the annexation of Ulster against the will of the Ulster people. Once again that will has been reaffirmed with unmistakable emphasis.

"Ulster loyalists will never submit to the carving up of the United Kingdom by the severance of their area, and they will always resist any attempt to bring them into submission to a Dublin Parliament.

"They know where their allegiance is. They know where their true interests are. That is why Ulster stands firm on the rock of unity with Great Britain, and insists on its right to remain under the British flag. All right thinking people in Great Britain must keenly applaud Ulster's choice."

The defeat of Sir Wilson Hungerford, who was at one time right-hand man to the then Sir Edward Carson, caused a shock in Unionist circles.

Mr. Getgood, who defeated Sir Wilson, was Chairman of the Irish T.U.C. last year. He was seized by an excited throng as he left the City Hall, and carried shoulder-high along Donegall Place amid great applause.

Mr. Midgley, returning thanks after the Willowfield result was announced, said he was proud of the Commonwealth Labour Party.

"It was the party of the future. It placed a constructive alternative before the people of the North, who had been kept in a maze of political mediævalism for some years," he stated.

The Parties

THE Northern House of Commons consists of 52 members, and 20 were returned unopposed. Sixty-eight candidates contested 32 seats, 4 of them in Queen's University, where the result will not be declared until Friday.

Of the 20 returned without opposition, 13 are Unionists, 6 Nationalists, and one Independent Unionist.

The state of the parties now, excluding the four University seats, is:—Unionists, 31; Nationalist, 10; Labour, 2; Ind. Unionist, 2; Ind. Labour, 1; Commonwealth Labour, 1; Socialist Republican, 1.

At the dissolution the Unionists had 38 seats; Nationalists, 6; Ind. Unionist, 2, Unofficial Unionist, 1; Labour, 1; Independent Labour, 1; Commonwealth Labour, 1. Two seats were vacant.

Results in Detail

BELFAST

BALLYNAFEIGH — F. Thompson (U.), 5,787; W. Kennedy (Commonwealth Lab.), 3,715; J. Baine (Lab.), 2,424. Majority, 2,060. No change.

BLOOMFIELD — Lord Glentoran (U.), 9,955; W. McCullough (Communist), 5,802. Majority, 4,193. No change.

CLIFTON — Lt.-Col. S. H. Hall-Thompson (U.), 7,272; A. Carlin (Lab.), 4,458. Majority, 2,814. No change.

CROMAC—Major J. M. Sinclair (U.), 8,407; Miss B. Sinclair (Communist), 4,130. Majority, 4,277. No change.

DOCK AREA — Hugh Downey (Lab.), 3,985; Capt. A. Clarke (U.), 2,924. Majority, 1,061. Gain for Labour.

DUNCAIRN — W. Grant (U.), 7,034; J. Morrow (Lab.), 4,874. Majority, 2,160. No change.

FALLS—H. Diamond (Soc. Republican), 5,016; J. Collins (Fed. Lab.), 3,912; J. McGlade (Nationalist), 2,766. Majority, 1,104. Soc. Republican gain.

OLDPARK — Mr. R. Getgood (Lab.), 8,829; Sir Wilson Hungerford (U.), 6,390; Mr. D. Wylie (Repub. Soc.), 481. Labour majority, 2,439. Gain from U. Mr. Wylie loses his deposit.

POTTINGER — J. Beattie (Ind. Lab.), 4,852; Dr. Rodgers (U.), 4,474. Majority, 478. No change.

ST. ANNE'S — E. Warnock (U.), 10,119; J. Lowden (Lab.), 7,674. Majority, 2,445. No change.

VICTORIA—R. B. Alexander (U.), 7,618; G. Matthews (Lab.), 4,342; N. Black (Commonwealth Lab.), 2,133. Majority, 3,276. No change.

WILLOWFIELD — H. C. Midgley (Commonwealth Lab.), 7,072; G. Finlay (U.), 4,484; R. McBrinn (Lab.), 1,082. Majority, 2,584. No change. Mr. McBrinn loses his deposit.

WINDSOR—A. Wilson (U.), 8,737; J. Kennedy (Commonwealth Lab.), 4,985. Majority, 3,752. No change.

WOODVALE—J. W. Nixon (Ind. U.), 9,274; S. Megraw (U.), 4,686. Majority, 4,588. No change.

COUNTRY

ARDS—J. R. Perceval-Maxwell (U.), 7,976; A. H. McElroy (Commonwealth Lab.), 5,615. Majority, 2,361. No change.

BANNSIDE — M. Patrick (U.), 5,029; A. J. Gillespie (Ind. U.), 2,979. Majority, 2,050. No change.

BUCKHERGUS—Major L. E. Curran, K.C. (U.), 9,387; Dr. W. Calwell (Lab.), 3,973. Majority, 5,414. No change.

CENTRE ARMAGH — Dr. George Dougan (U.), 9,508; Thomas Martin (Commonwealth Lab.), 4,559. Majority, 4,949. No change.

DERRY CITY—W. Lowry (U.), 8,529; W. A. Irwin (Lab.), 4,908. Majority, 3,621. No change.

FOYLE—P. Maxwell (Nat.), 6,270; P. Fox (Lab.), 4,920. Majority, 1,350. No change.

LARNE—W. W. B. Topping (U.), 8,983; F. V. Simpson (Lab.), 2,947. Majority, 6,036. No change.

MOURNE — McSparran (Nat.), 7,784; F. Brown (Unofficial U.), 5,544. Majority, 2,240. Nationalist gain.

NORTH ARMAGH — Mrs. Dinah McNabb (U.), 8,645; Thompson Ferron (Lab.), 4,849. Majority, 3,796. No change.

NORTH ANTRIM — Sir Robert Lynn (U.), 9,264; A. Stuart (Lab.), 3,345. Majority, 5,919. No change.

NORTH DERRY — The Rev. R. Moore (U.), 11,003; J. D. Murphy (Lab.), 3,219. Majority, 7,784. No change.

SOUTH ARMAGH—Malachy Conlon (Anti-Partitionist), 6,720; Patrick Agnew (Lab.), 4,143. Majority, 2,577. **Nationalist gain from Labour.**

SOUTH DOWN—P. Murney (Nat.), 9,306; C. D. Maginn (U.), 8,222. Majority, 4,784. **Nationalist gain.**

WEST DOWN—J. E. Bailey (U.), 8,197; S. E. Maitland (Communist), 2,525. Majority, 5,673. No change.

Impressive Declaration

SIR BASIL BROOKE, the Northern Ireland Premier, in a statement disclosed that the results represent an impressive declaration in favour of Ulster's tradition as an integral part of the United Kingdom. "It is clearly realised," he said, "that to separate Ulster from Great Britain and unite it with Eire would strike a deadly blow at our whole industrial economy."

Escaped Austrians Reach Eire

TWO Austrian soldiers, who say they escaped from an internment camp in France, have been rounded up by Civic Guards. They were discovered in a farm in North Louth. They are Horst Sodderbaum (24), son of a Viennese building contractor, and Peter Waldorrfer (22), a medical student, also from Vienna.

The men stated that when the Germans occupied Austria it was made clear to them that they would be conscripted. In the years that followed they drifted apart, but met once in Russia. Sodderbaum had been with the Tank Forces at Stalingrad. They met again in a group of 50,000 Germans rounded up by Americans, and were put in a camp in France, but they managed to escape.

They got to Cherbourg and stowed away on what they thought was a Swedish vessel, but to their amazement landed in Southampton. They feared that the British might hand them over to the Russians, and decided to try to get to Eire. They had some French money, which they exchanged for £12 with a sailor, and by train they got to Liverpool, where they spent some days enjoying themselves, even going to dances. When out of money they found entrance to the Merseyside Docks a difficult matter until they changed their civilian clothes for dungarees, with which they passed unnoticed to the quays.

Again they stowed away on a ship, which they thought was bound for Dublin, but found themselves in Newry, in Northern Ireland. They crossed the Border into Eire, where they got employment on a farm. They worked for nearly a fortnight until Civic Guards took them into custody.

The Guards are reticent, but it is understood the men are held by the Guards in Dundalk. Both men speak several languages, and one is a fluent English speaker.

German Internees

A REPORT yesterday to the effect that German internees at the Curragh, numbering about 260, would be handed over to the British authorities at Rosslare to-day, was officially denied last night.

Irish Horses for France

Should negotiations at present being conducted with Allied shipping interests conclude successfully, a vessel provided from the United Nations' shipping pool will arrive in Dublin towards the end of the present month to bring 300 farm horses to France. Apparently the French Government are hopeful that the necessary tonnage will be available, as already they have appointed the members of the horse-purchasing mission. The mission is composed of officials of the French Department of Agriculture. This batch of horses will be the first consignment of any sort to be shipped from Ireland to France since the outbreak of the European war. The boat, which will have special stalls fitted, will also carry the 250 to 300 tons of medical supplies which are being sent by the Irish Red Cross Society to their hospital unit at St. Lo.

The members of the mission will attend markets in all parts of the country to select suitable animals.

Crossmolina Murder Charge

Stephen Murphy, a farmer's son, of Ballycorroon, Crossmolina, was remanded for a week at the Ballina District Court yesterday on a charge of murdering Michael Joseph Loftus, the eight years old son of a farmer, of Ballinlobaun, a neighbouring townland.

Heavy Casualties in Dunkirk Disaster

First reports say that at least 150 people were killed or injured in the Dunkirk explosions in an old German ammunition dump, which started on Monday afternoon and went on till late at night. The casualties include 30 civilians, 80 German prisoners and 30 soldiers who were guarding the prisoners, says Reuter.

Red Cross Visitors To Dublin

Coonel de Watteville, Chief of the London Delegation, International Red Cross Society, is expected to arrive in Dublin to-morrow for several days' consultation with members of the Irish Red Cross Society. He will be accompanied by Mr. Long, also of the London Delegation. As the Irish Society is holding its Council meeting on Friday, they both will have an opportunity of meeting all its senior members. They probably will attend the presentation of the President's Red Cross Trophy at Arus an Uachtarain on Saturday.

New System of Motor Taxation Suggested

The suggestion that a new system of taxing motorists, by means of a small registration fee for each vehicle and a tax of 4d. per gallon on petrol consumed, should be adopted is being considered by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, who has not yet replied to a memorandum submitted by the Society of Irish Motor Traders, Ltd.

It is understood that in Great Britain the Automobile Association, the Royal Automobile Club and the motor manufacturers and traders have submitted a similar scheme to the authorities, except that they stipulate a fivepenny instead of a fourpenny increase in the price of petrol per gallon, to cover the tax.

It is generally felt that the adoption of the scheme would have a beneficial effect on the motor trade. In America motor cars are taxed on petrol consumption, and one-fifth of the total population have cars.

Another Reduction in Shipping Rates

A further reduction of approximately 15 per cent. in shipping rates is announced by Irish Shipping, Ltd., to operate on cargoes loaded on or after July 1st. This brings the total reductions made by the company in four years to 61 per cent. of the previous charges.

Bicycle Thefts in Dublin a Pest

Francis Walsh (35), carpenter, and his wife, Patricia Walsh (32), Bloomfield avenue, South Circular road, were charged in the Dublin Circuit Criminal Court yesterday in connection with the larceny and receiving of fourteen bicycles.

Francis Walsh pleaded guilty to the larceny of eight bicycles, and his wife pleaded guilty to receiving eleven bicycles. Their pleas were accepted and the Court took into consideration the larceny and receiving of three other machines.

Detective-Sergeant P. Murphy, Garda Technical Bureau, gave evidence that in some cases the original numbers on the machines were filed off and new numbers stamped on. The work was done very skilfully, and detection was difficult.

Detective-Officer Clune said that Mrs. Walsh inserted advertisements and sold the bicycles, usually giving as her reason the fact that she wished to buy a pram, for her newly-born baby. The witness said that in 1944 about 1,000 bicycles had been stolen.

Judge McCarthy said that the public should appreciate the energy, time and skill shown by these Guards in the investigation of what had become a pest and a nuisance in the city. He put the two prisoners back for sentence until Friday.

Vatican Excommunicates Bishop

—Vatican authorities stated yesterday that Monsignor Carlo Duarte Costa, Catholic Bishop of Maura, Brazil, had been excommunicated for heresy and advocacy of a national church of Brazil with the abolition of the Latin rites. — (Reuter.)

Meat Strike May Spread To Belfast

There is a possibility that the Dublin meat trade dispute may extend to Belfast. Yesterday a message was received by the Workers' Union of Ireland from the Belfast butchers asking what assistance they could give.

A section of carters are refusing to handle meat for the master butchers, and the master butchers, it was stated, have made arrangements to do the carting themselves.

Councillor James Larkin, at last night's meeting of the Dublin Trade Union Council, said that the dispute in the meat trade industry was one that affected all the distributive workers. It was not confined to any particular section. As far back as 1939, they advanced the question of an extended holiday as one of immediate urgency, but it was agreed to leave it over owing to the emergency. The workers in the meat trade worked abnormal hours, especially on Saturday nights. The dispute, he alleged, was due fundamentally to one particular group of butchers whose location was London. Originally other issues were involved—the question of coats, saws and steels, but these claims were withdrawn, and the only claim they were now making was for a fortnight's holidays with pay for those engaged in the butchering trade.

In regard to the pork butchers, he said that three of them had granted to their employees the fortnight's holiday, with pay, and a demand had been made on the others in the pork trade.

POTSDAM AGENDA GROWING

THE "Big Three" meeting is not likely to be long delayed, according to unofficial reports, says Reuter.

Allied diplomats and officials have arrived in Berlin to make preparations for the meeting at Potsdam.

The newspaper *France-Soir* reports that Mr. Churchill, who is on holiday at the Chateau Bordaberry, near Hendaye, will leave on Saturday on the first stage of his journey to the meeting. President Truman is already on the high seas.

Marshal Stalin and his staff of high officials are preparing to leave Moscow.

Mr. Anthony Eden returned, after five weeks' absence, to the Foreign Office, London, yesterday to be confronted with a great deal of work—much of it associated with the meeting of the "Big Three"—to be dealt with in the few days remaining before he leaves with Mr. Attlee to join the Prime Minister in Potsdam.

The length of the agenda for the meeting increases almost daily and it will almost certainly last longer than Teheran or Yalta.

The future control and treatment of Germany remains the outstanding problem. A short-term policy governing the immediate situation and a long-term policy for her re-generation will probably be decided on.

The spectres of pestilence and famine will hover over Potsdam, for it is increasingly obvious that not only Germany, but nearly every European country is approaching a winter of great hardship.

The Potsdam Conference will, in effect, be a preliminary peace conference for there are boundary and race questions which must be discussed between the Great Powers before the actual Peace Conference.

Reports that General Franco had crossed the French-Spanish frontier to meet either Mr. Churchill or "British officials" are not confirmed in British official quarters.

Visitors on the beach at St. Jean de Luz yesterday glimpsed Mr. Churchill in an enormous broad-brimmed hat under a beige-coloured sunshade, given him in Cairo, painting a picture of the bay.

President Truman is on board a cruiser in the Atlantic. The cruiser is one of two in a force commanded by Rear-Admiral Allan R. McCann. The Presidential Party includes Mr. James Byrnes, the new U.S. Secretary of State, and Admiral Leahy. When the ship reaches port the party will fly to the Berlin area on the same air liner which last month carried President Truman to the United Nations Conference at San Francisco.

Mr. G. A. Overend speaking at the Cork Street Hospital protest meeting in the Mansion House, Dublin, last night. Seated beside him are Alderman Alfred Byrne, T.D.; Mrs. Moorhead and Dr. T. G. Moorhead.

FOOD PROBLEM SOLVED

Four-Power Government For Berlin

REPRESENTATIVES of Russia, Britain and the U.S.A. have amicably solved the problem of feeding nearly 3,000,000 Berlin civilians, it was officially announced last night.

The arrangement is to be on the basis of a contribution from all zones under occupation. Progress was also made towards a solution of the fuel supply problem.

The agreement was made known in the following official statement:

"Representatives of the three Allied Commands met again in Berlin on July 10th to continue the examination of current problems connected with the administration of Greater Berlin.

"The meeting was presided over by Marshal Zhukov. Lieutenant-General Clay and Lieutenant-General Weeks represented the United States and British Commands.

"Useful decisions were reached in an atmosphere of complete mutual understanding.

"The three representatives agreed upon the immediate establishment of an inter-Allied governing authority designated to direct jointly the administration of Greater Berlin under the inter-Allied agreement on the control machinery in Germany.

"The Kommandatur will hold its first meeting on July 11th. The three representatives unanimously agreed to invite a French representative to participate as the fourth member of the inter-Allied Kommandature.

"The Kommandatur will operate under the general direction of the Control Council for Germany, and will consist of the four military commandants, each of whom will serve in rotation as Chief Military Commandant. The rotation will be made every fifteen days.

"The Commandant will be assisted by a technical staff, which will supervise and control the activities of Berlin local government. Orders and instructions will be issued in Russian, English, French and German.

"A satisfactory agreement was made to meet immediate problems of food supply for the civilian population of Berlin, on the basis of a contribution from all areas under occupation. Progress was made towards a solution of the problem of fuel supply on a similar basis.

"Proposals were put before the meeting for the early bringing into operation of the various provisions of the inter-Allied agreements on the control machinery in Germany."

In effect, says A.P., the Soviet position was vindicated by yesterday's decisions after failure of the same three representatives to agree last Saturday. Presumably, the British and American transport system will bring considerable stocks of food and coal into their Berlin sectors from the western occupation zones. The Anglo-American demand had been for all Berlin to be supplied from its Soviet-held hinterland.

The British have 900,000 Germans in their sector and the Americans have 750,000 in theirs. The Russian sector is believed to be populated by 1,100,000 Germans.

The Anglo-American Allies intend to garrison Berlin with about 25,000 troops from their respective armies and the Russian force is estimated at approximately the same size. From a transportation standpoint the British and Americans are believed to be able to meet the food problem in a matter of days before the small reserves in their sectors are exhausted.

A Washington message last night stated that General Eisenhower was expected to abolish the non-fraternisation policy in the American occupation zone of Germany within the next few days.

The first batch of British soldiers to go on leave from Berlin left for the United Kingdom yesterday. Other detachments will follow daily, some by plane. The non-fraternisation ban still stands, but the army authorities have gone a long way to provide recreation facilities for the 15,000 British troops on garrison duty in the city.

Swimming pools have been requisitioned, there will be a beer-garden with boating facilities on the Havelsee, and two films a week can be seen by every man. Clubs and canteens are being opened, and a brewery has been found in Spandau.

The 7th Armoured Division ("Desert Rats") will parade in full strength with tanks and armoured cars in the capital on Friday.

The crew of the yacht, Mizpah, which has arrived at Dublin from Belfast. Left to right: Mr. Edwin Clarke, Mr. Manson Vance, Mrs. Jean Shaw, Mrs. Agnes Logan, Mr. Hugh Shaw, Mr. William Logan (owner), and Mr. Albert Shaw.

Tokyo Still Hammered By United States Planes

TOKYO yesterday reported that the great raids by nearly 2,000 carrier-borne planes and Super-Forts which have battered the Japanese capital, scores of surrounding airfields and other vital targets in the home islands in under 15 hours, are the beginning of the invasion of Japan.

Melbourne radio at 12 o'clock last night said: "News has just come in that American Army and Navy planes are still hammering Tokyo," says Reuter.

The radio quoted Tokyo radio as saying that Allied flyers were raking the east coast of Honshu Island on all sides.

Admiral William Halsey's powerful naval task force, from which over 1,000 planes in wave after wave attacked the Tokyo area in a bombardment lasting at least eight hours, was last night still, apparently, standing off Honshu, biggest of the Japanese home islands, on which the capital lies.

The force includes 10 aircraft carriers. According to Japanese reports, U.S. Pacific headquarters have officially named four aircraft carriers in the force—Lexington, Essex, Independence and San Jacinto; four battleships—Indiana, Massachusetts, South Dakota and Iowa; four cruisers—Chicago, San Juan, Springfield and Atlanta; and fourteen destroyers.

Admiral Hasley's planes swept over Tokyo and the surrounding Kanto plain as 500 Super-Forts were flying back to their Mariana bases after dropping 3,500 tons of bombs on five other targets on Honshu. Up to 700 planes were in the air over Tokyo simultaneously.

United States military experts yesterday said it was probable that the 2,000-plane raids launched against Japan's airfields in the past 24 hours may be continued for at least two or three more days.

Mr. Joseph Grew, U.S. Acting Secretary of State, admitted in a statement yesterday in Washington that his Department has received reports of Japanese peace feelers from various parts of the world, but he said no approach has been made by authorised persons, and no surrender offer has been made.

COMMAND OF SKIES

Admiral Halsey's Naval Task Force has destroyed or damaged 154 Japanese planes, and won complete mastery of the skies over Tokyo, Admiral Nimitz announced in his communique yesterday.

With the great raid on Tokyo still going on, a U.S. Navy spokesman in Washington yesterday announced that the aim of the Navy Carrier Forces working along with the Army's Super-Fortresses was to annihilate what was left of the Japanese Air Force.

So far the last 18 months carrier aircraft had sunk "a prize of the Japanese Fleet — their two most powerful battleships, the Musashi and the Yamato—damaged six other battleships, and sunk at least five carriers, nine cruisers, and many destroyers and lighter vessels, with more than 1,000,000 tons of shipping sunk or damaged.

This fleet of carriers and supporting warships will protect the huge convoys which are going to carry our invasion forces, the spokesman added. They will have to soften up the defences on the invasion beaches, and they will still have to put the Army and Marine troops ashore, as they have in every other invasion so far.

The battle still taking place, after six days in the swamps of the lower reaches of the Sittang River, was described last night by Reuter's Special Correspondent in Rangoon as one of the fiercest and bloodiest of this year's Burma campaign. One hundred and thirty-five shells in 20 minutes, within a 100 yards box, is the tempo of this local war.

The Japanese C.-in-C. in the area, General Hyotaro Kimura, is apparently using 50,000 troops and considerable artillery to expand the bridgehead, and rescue 7,000 Japanese trapped west of a line running from Mandalay to Rangoon, cabled Reuter's Correspondent with the British Army in Burma.

British Soldier Killed In Aleppo

A British soldier was killed in a shooting affray between Syrian gendarmes and civilians, on the one hand, and French guards, on the other, in the northern Syrian city of Aleppo on Monday, according to a Reuter cable from Beirut. The incident was one of a series which occurred in the town at intervals throughout the day.

The French guards were inside a building N.E. of Aleppo railway station and the Syrians outside. Both sides ignored British orders to cease fire.

Shortly before the battle in which the Briton was killed, about 100 members of the "Troupes Spéciales" (local levies, hitherto under French command) broke into the armoury in the Musy Barracks, seized a quantity of arms, including nine machine-guns, and, according to British military information, made off as deserters.

Casting Vote Decides Rate

At the meeting of Bray Urban Council last night a total town and poor rate of 21s. 3d. in the £ was struck, as against 21s. 6d. last year, on the casting vote of the Chairman, Mr. F. Ledwidge, with two not voting.

Bray Urban Council last night adopted a resolution calling upon the Government to increase teachers' salaries in accordance with the claim made by the I.N.T.O.

Europe Faced With Famine

Mr. Herbert Lehmann, Director-General of U.N.R.R.A., expressed a warning in Rome yesterday that widespread famine conditions would strike the Balkans and Italy next winter, unless the United Nations filled the gap in food supplies.

"If the liberated countries in Europe fall a prey to famine and pestilence there will be no security for any of us," he said. "Supplies must be shipped now if we are to meet Europe's fateful deadline."

Schedules for the next six months called for nearly 4,000,000 tons of supplies, valued at about £225,000,000.

"So far there have been shipped into the devastated areas of Greece, Yugo-Slavia, Czechoslovakia, Poland and Italy about £62,500,000 worth of supplies—food, clothing, medical supplies, farm and industrial equipment.

"In Italy alone more than 50,000 tons of supplies have been received. By the end of the year another similar bulk will have arrived."

Poles from Warsaw In London

M. Brozniak and M. Kolodzieski, members of the Polish Finance Commission, who arrived in London from Warsaw on Saturday, had their first informal meeting with British officials yesterday at the Foreign Office.

A considerable section of the London group of members of the Polish Socialist Party have signed a statement recognising the new Government of National Unity formed in Warsaw as the rightful Government of the Polish Republic. They declare that all the Poles abroad should combine their efforts with those of the Polish people at home in the work of reconstruction, and they subscribe to the policy of the reunion of all the Socialist forces in one party, and therefore "disown the policy of the committee of the party in London, which continues its alliance with other exiled groups in the support of *émigré* politics."

A "Symbolic" Hanging

Captain Willis, who is defending three of the seven Germans accused of murdering Wolfgang Rosterg, a fellow-prisoner of war, at a camp in Scotland, declared in his concluding speech at the military court martial in London yesterday that it was perfectly clear that Rosterg's hanging was something symbolic, and that it was the death which a traitor must suffer. He added: "It is not so long ago in our own history when traitors were hung, drawn and quartered, and their dismembered bodies stuck on the town gates."

Strong Criticism Of Government at Public Meeting

VIGOROUS criticism of the Government's action in abolishing the Cork Street Fever Hospital Board was voiced at an overflow protest meeting, held in the Mansion House, Dublin, last night. Every seat in the Round Room and the surrounding balconies was occupied when the meeting began; several hundreds crowded the back of the hall, and many more were unable to gain admittance. Amplifiers carried the speeches to the big crowd assembled outside the main Mansion House gate.

All the speakers were particularly outspoken in condemnation of the Government's attitude.

Dr. T. G. Moorhead, President, Medical Council of Ireland characterised the Government's action as "arbitrary, petulant and autocratic,' and added: "I feel certain that if, within the last few years, we had heard of such an action coming from Fascist Italy or Nazi Germany we would have held up our hands in horror and said "Thank God, we are not governed in that way."

Mr. Ernest Wood, S.C., said: **"I have been appalled by the Minister's cynical disregard for what seems to me to be the elementary principle on which justice is founded—an elementary principle of justice that you shall not be condemned by a tribunal by which you have not been heard."**

A resolution was passed calling on the Government either to reinstate the Hospital Board or place the Inspector's report or reports on the table of each House of the Oireachtas.

Before this resolution was passed, a man who gave his name as Mr. James Byrne, mounted the platform and said he proposed moving a direct negative. After people from the body of the hall had told him to "Shut up" and "Get off the platform," the Lord Mayor, Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D. (presiding), told him that he was not entitled to address the meeting. He was then approached by a number of people, and persuaded to leave.

At another stage a man giving his name as T. P. McGann, Clondalkin, tried unsuccessfully to address the chairman on "a point of order."

Dr. T. G. Moorhead, proposing the resolution, said: "I come here as an ordinary citizen who is deeply concerned with the honour and good government of this country. I come as a citizen proud of our Constitution and proud of the fact that we are an independent, self-governing nation. Therefore, I am dismayed at an action which, I think, brings a government of this country into disrepute. I am quite confident that if prior to 1921, when this country was governed from Westminster, any Government Department had taken the action which we now deplore, there would have been an outcry from end to end of the country. Every newspaper would have been full of glaring headlines, and the *Irish Press*, if it had then existed, would have been in the very forefront of the battle. We would have heard about coercion and foreign oppression and the will of the people being flouted; and I am absolutely certain that the officer or person guilty of that action would have been driven from office.

"It seems to me, therefore, deplorable that an action, which would have been resented by the entire country from a foreign Power, could now be carried out by a countryman of our own. I also feel certain that if, within the last few years, we had heard of such an action coming from Fascist Italy or Nazi Germany, we would have held up our hands in horror and said: 'Thank God we are not governed in that way.' We should have said that we, for our part, are a true and genuine democracy."

Looking at the names of the members of the Board, he continued, they found that they comprised men of the highest integrity, of the highest business ability; men known for their charitable observances for years. And now they found them turned out as if they were naughty schoolboys by a stroke of the pen of a Parliamentary Secretary, who ought to have known better, and who, in this case, was the accuser, the judge and the executioner.

"Why," he asked, "doesn't he produce the report of his inspector? Well, we can make a guess. We all know well that in the last few weeks he would have been only too delighted to produce that report if it backed up his action. If he does not produce it, the public will continue, as they are doing now, to draw their own conclusions.

"A few days ago, in the Dail, the Taoiseach said he was not a dictator.

A Voice—"Moryah!"

Dr. Moorhead—"I think that what Mr. de Valera said is true. He is very fair and very just, and not reckless; but I think that a good many of his subordinates are very very different. Amongst other things I hope this meeting will do to-night is to put a check to the dictatorial government that has swept over the country. It is a terrible pity that a person in the high position of Parliamentary Secretary to an important Department of State should give the example that he has set. As I go about I realise the amount of public indignation that has been aroused, and that indignation will continue until our resolution is brought into effect."

"SHOCKED"

Mr. Ernest Wood, S.C., seconding Dr. Moorhead's resolution, said that when he read the facts as they appeared in the public Press in connection with the action of the Minister, he was both "shocked and alarmed; shocked at what appeared to him to be cynical indifference to truth and honesty; alarmed, to put it no higher, for his own safety. Since the Board had been abolished the Minister has made one personal pronouncement. On May 30th he made a speech in the Dáil, in the course of which he accused the Board of impropriety, of irregularity of conduct, and, graver still, he said in the conclusion of his remark that the members of the Board had shown a disposition to allocate work to one particular firm without due examination,

"Not only was that statement false, but it was unjust and a perversion of the truth. There were omissions in that speech which any reasonable person could only conclude were made with deliberation."

A voice—"He should be compelled to resign and sent back to Belfast."

Mr. Wood—"I believe that this Minister has deliberately distorted facts. I believe that he has indulged in a sham trial. I stand or fall by the Inspector's report. On three occasions the Minister has replied to Press criticisms only through the mouths of others. Two of these replies of June 2nd and 8th contained the hallmark of offensiveness and truculence which so often have characterised the pronouncement of the Minister in the House.

"I have been appalled," he continued, "by the Minister's cynical disregard for what seems to me to be the elementary principle on which justice is founded—an elementary principle of justice that you shall not be condemned by a tribunal by which you have not been heard."

He asked them to pass the resolution.

"DANGER"

Ald. A. Byrne, T.D., expressed his appreciation of the former Board for their kindness to the Dublin public and patients, and said he hoped that other boards throughout the country would see that their nurses would get justice, and not have them standing outside the passport office trying to get out of the country to get better positions. "I think," he added, "that the whole hospital system of Ireland is in danger of Government control within another year. I think that is the end of those in power—that they

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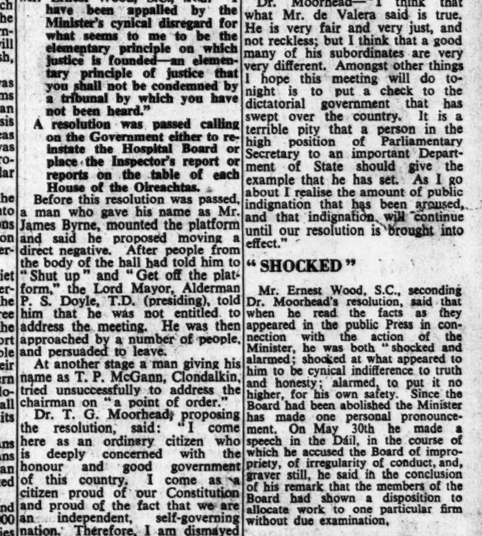

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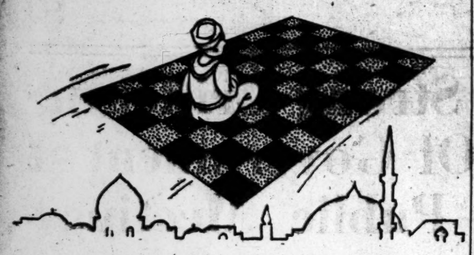

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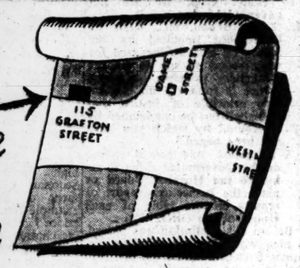

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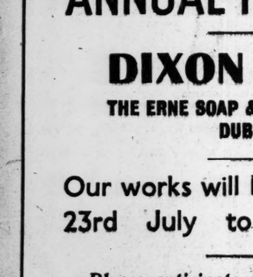

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Harty Double Likely at Killarney

THE annual meeting at Killarney opens to-day. For the chief race on the card, the Windsor Lad Cup, a handicap steeplechase of two miles, many will back Housewarmer and the rejuvenated Crafty Prince to take the measure of the Southern 'chasers, but neither of them may prove capable of beating the selected of Henry Harty's pair, Sun Bird and Lawabiding.

The Patrickswell trainer may also win the handicap flat race with his recent purchase, Desdichado.

Possibly Willy O'Grady will also turn out two winners. Brighter Sandy reads to have several pounds in hand of Duhallow Boy in the Amateur flat race, but Grandace will need all his speed to give weight to the course specialist, Dark; Lord Barter, Mark Twain and Lovely Wings in a very open handicap hurdle.

Jack Finlay looks the safest bet of the day in the weight for age 'chase.

Tote Double on Third and Fifth Races

Full selections:—
Killarney Hurdle—**Ashtown.**
Innisfallen 'Chase—**Jack Finlay.**
Dunloe Handicap Hurdle—**Grandace.**
Kerry Handicap—**Desdichado; if nb., Consolidate.**
Windsor Lad Cup—**H. Harty's Selected.**
Lough Lein (M.) Plate—**Brighter Sandy.**

2.30—KILLARNEY MAIDEN HURDLE, £100. 1½m.

181 Ashtown (R. Sheehan), Owner, 6, 12-7 ..... E. J. Kennedy
010 Cailin (M. J. O'Keeffe), Roche, 5, 12-7 ..... T. Hyde
00 Consolidate (R. Sheehan), Owner, 6, 12-7 ..... A. Brabazon
000 Killer (Mr. J. Lyster), H. Harty, 5, 12-7 ..... M. Mooney
202 Second Over (M. M. Hallin), Cornan, 5, 12-7 ..... D. Morgan
300 Wonder Finger (C. MacDonald), H. Harty, 5, 12-7 ..... Mr. M. J. Mitchell
000 Fair Wings (Miss L. Delmege), Delmege, 4, 11-10 ..... A. Gibbs
30 Gentle Dawn (Mrs. A. Grey), Hennebery, 5, 11-10 ..... T. Molony
0 Mr. Wise (Mrs. T. Hyde), Roche, 5, 11-10 ..... M. Browne
032 Master Bill (G. Harty), H. Harty, 5, 11-10 ..... M. Healy, jun.
Roosevelt's Pride (Miss Mary Hogan), Hogan, 5, 11-0 ..... P. Hennessy
000 Dorothy Perkins (Mrs. J. C. Tennce-Rye), Tennce-Rye, 4, 11-0 ..... M. Furlong

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Second Over, 6/1 each Cailin and Ashtown, 6/1 Game Deal, 7/1 Nimble Fingers, 10/1 others.

3.0—INNISFALLEN W.F.A. 'CHASE, £100. 3m.

100 Post Dance (Mrs. J. R. Green), Whelan, a, 12-8 ..... Mr. B. Whelan
130 Jack Finlay (Miss Mary Hogan), J. P. Hogan, 6, 12-8 ..... P. Hennessy
00 Capital Star (Mrs. A. Honnibell), Honnibell, a, 12-3 ..... C. Graham
013 Sagacity (P. Graham), Owens, a, 12-3 .. Mr. J. McClintock
021 In Any Case (Mrs. A. H. Watt), O'Grady, 5, 12-1 ..... P. J. Murphy
220 Day Dreams (D. Frame), Roche, 6, 12-1 ..... T. Hyde
013 Fanny (G. D. B. O'Brien), M. V. O'Brien, 5, 12-1 ..... A. Brabazon
000 John D. (Walter Dwyer), Owner, 6, 11-0 .. R. McCarthy

BETTING FORECAST—1/1 Jack Finlay, 3/1 Fanny, 5/1 each In Any Case and Day Dreams, 8/1 others.

3.30—DUNLOE HANDICAP HURDLE, £300. 2m.

000 Newtown Rock (W. Dwan), O'Meara, a, 12-0 E. J. Kennedy
010 Milk Bar (J. L. Hislop), Roche, a, 11-12 ..... T. Hyde
000 St. Kevin's (Mrs. H. Harty), H. Harty, a, 11-11 T. Molony
000 Verbatim (Mrs. Dorothy Pope), C. Rogers, a, 11-11 ..... Mr. J. O'Ryan
301 Grandace (N. E. Wilkinson), O'Grady, 6, 11-5 .. V. Mooney
000 Shi (Mrs. A. P. Harris), Holden, a, 11-4 ..... A. Sennell
300 All Shell (J. Twomey), Owner, a, 11-4 ..... Mr. A. Sennell
000 Great Patrick (W. Noble), Noble, 6, 11-1 ..... M. Meleny
130 Rockland (J. A. Farrell), Owner, a, 11-1 ..... T. Cullen, jun.
000 Ashtown (R. Cullen), A. P. Prendergast, 6, 11-1 ..... T. Molony
321 Same Chicken (John Kirwan), Owner, a, 11-1 J. F. Maguire
230 Arch Knight (A. L. Moore), R. O'Connell, a, 11-1 G. Wells
000 Black Twelve (G. Harty), Owner, a, 10-12 ..... H. Harty, jun.
002 Second Over (M. M. Hallin), Cornan, a, 10-12 ..... D. Morgan
233 The Cousin (Walter Dwyer), Owner, 5, 10-11 ..... R. McCarthy
003 Lord Barter (D. Noonan), Owner, a, 10-10 .. E. Hannigan
002 Beneath (Timothy O'Brien), R. O'Connell, a, 10-10 ..... D. L. Moore
100 Lovely Wings (Miss L. Delmege), Delmege, 4, 10-7 R. Gough
305 St. Herns (John J. Ryan), Roche, 5, 10-5 ..... Mr. Brown

BETTING FORECAST—5/2 each Verbatim and Some Chicken, 5/1 each All Shell and Milk Bar, 7/1 Arch Knight, 10/1 Rockleigh, 100/8 others.

4.0—KERRY HANDICAP, £100. 1½m.

0 Desdichado (Mrs. A. E. O'Keeffe), H. Harty, 6, 11-0 ..... A. Brabazon
00 Consolidate (R. Sheehan), Owner, 6, 10-9 ..... M. Browne
00 Sweet Emma (John Cunningham), O'Grady, 6, 10-1 O'Regan
000 Lone Patrol (D. Noonan), Owner, 5, 10-0 ..... E. Hannigan
020 Home Wind (N. E. Wilkinson), O'Grady, a, 9-5 .. H. Hudson
30 Morning Echo (Timothy Murphy), Owner, 6, 9-0 E. J. Kennedy
700 Billy D. (Walter Dwyer), Owner, 5, 9-0 ..... G. Wells
000 Pharoma (Mrs. T. Hyde), Roche, 6, 9-0 ..... C. Slatter

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 each Desdichado and Mount Bolton, 4/1 Pharoma, 8/1 other

4.30—WINDSOR LAD CUP, value £100 (Handicap 'Chase), with £250 added 2m.

301 Sun Bird (W. H. Peters), H. Harty, a, 12-2 ..... T. Molony
011 Crafty Prince (P. J. Lenehan), Owner, a, 11-9 .. D. Morgan
000 Border Knight (Mrs. A. H. Watt), O'Grady, a, 11-7 ..... P. J. Murphy
01 Lawabiding (H. Harty), Owner, a, 11-6 .... M. Healy, jun.
101 Dunloe Boy (Miss D. Peard), P. Rogers, a, 11-6 ..... D. Peard
221 Same Chicken (John Kirwan), Owner, a, 10-9 J. F. Maguire
120 Going Concern (C. J. Dowling), O'Grady, 6, 10-8 V. Mooney
321 Glencarrig (7lb. ex.) (J. J. O'Hanlon), O'Callaghan, 6, 10-7 ..... T. Wyse
Chinese Pirate (Timothy Murphy), Owner, a, 10-2 ..... Mr. J. Dowling
000 Knight of Venezia (J. T. Purcell), Owner, a, 10-1 J. Greaves
200 Skouras (R. Collen), A. P. Prendergast, 5, 10-0 W. Gleeson
002 Playmate III (W. A. O'Mullane), Perdon, a, 9-12 ..... A. Brabazon
000 Missing Link (W. Noble), Noble, a, 9-10 ..... P. J. Murphy
003 Lord Barter (D. Noonan), Owner, a, 9-7 ..... E. Hannigan

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Lawabiding, 5/2 Playmate III, 4/1 Housewarmer, 5/1 Crafty Prince, 8/1 Going Concern and Some Chicken, 10/1 others.

5.0—LOUGH LEIN PLATE, £100. 2m. 5st.

000 Rolling Fire (Miss C. Conway), P. J. Horigan, a, 12-0 ..... Mr. N. Conway
30 Game Deal (Mrs. A. Grey), Hennebery, 5, 12-0 ..... Mr. T. Hogan, jun.
0 Eve's Pet (A. Humphreys), Humphreys, 5, 12-0 Connell, Curry
00 Flying Pat (Mrs. L. Hyde), M. J. Hyde, a, 12-0 Mr. G. Hyde
000 Will Fitz (Lt.-Col. A. Knowles), M. V. O'Brien, a, 12-0 ..... Mr. W. Tracy
0 Shannon Trout (Lt.-Col. A. Knowles), M. V. O'Brien, a, 12-0 ..... Mr. D. O'Connell
000 Killen (Mrs. J. Lyster), H. Harty, a, 12-0 .. Mr. J. Lyster
000 Glenveda (Mrs. W. Mooney), Heanebery, 5, 12-0 ..... Mr. T. Bennett
000 Avondhu Belle (D. Noonan), Owner, a, 12-0 Mrs. M. O'Riordan
00 Canadian Woods (John M. O'Brien), M. V. O'Brien, a, 12-0 ..... Mr. D. Berry
0 Aughton Pearl (A. O. Sennell), Owner, 5, 12-0 Mr. A. Sennell
0 Matthew Rose (P. Stakelum), Owner, 5, 12-0 ..... Mr. M. P. Stakelum
020 Duhallow Boy (Mrs. R. H. Stone), Lombard, 5, 12-0 ..... Mr. J. McClintock
022 Brighter Sandy (Mrs. A. H. Watt), O'Grady, a, 12-0 ..... Mr. J. McClintock
000 Bahadur (John M. O'Brien), M. V. O'Brien, a, 11-11 ..... Mr. M. J. Mitchell

BETTING FORECAST—6/4 Duhallow Boy, 5/2 Killen, 4/1 Brighter Sandy, 6/1 Avondhu Belle, 10/1 others.

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12.30—Saintly Thoughts.
1. 0—High Peak (nap).
1.30—Isfahan.
2. 0—Rivaz.
2.30—Prestwick.
3. 0—Black Strap.
DOUBLE:
High Peak and Black Strap.

12.30 — APPRENTICE HANDICAP, £200. 1½ m.

Horse. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
04 Show A Leg (J. Jarvis), 3, 8-7 ..... W. Lawder
200 Savile Row (Earl) 3, 8-2 ..... J. Sword
023 Saintly Thoughts (Beasley), 3, 7-4 ..... F. Tolson
000 Canteguela (Fk. Burgis), 3, 6-9 ..... R. Speight
000 Sunningdale (J. Payne), 3, 6-9 ..... J. Elliott

Betting Forecast—7/4 agst. Savile Row, 3/1 Show A Leg, 5/1 Saintly Thoughts, 100/6 others.

1.0 — ROTTINGHAM STAKES, £6 each, £400 added. 1 m.

Horse. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
221 Grandmaster (Nightingall), 3, 8-5 ..... T. Carey
100 High Peak (Earl), 3, 8-3 ..... W. Wragg
200 Sun Beauty (J. Jarvis), 3, 8-11 ..... R. Smith
101 Fly Excellence (Beasley), 3, 7-11 ..... D. Smith

Betting Forecast—13/8 agst. High Peak. 9/4 Grandmaster, 7/2 Sun Beauty, 8/1 Fly Excellence.

1.30—WATERBEACH (3-Y.-O.) H'CAP. £6 each, £400 added. 1½ m.

Horse. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
000 Blue Stream (J. Jarvis), 9-0 ..... R. Smith
003 Lemberg (Earl), 8-11 ..... H. Wragg
Kingstone (Boyd-Rochford), 8-6 ..... D. Smith
100 The Chandler (R. J. Colling), 8-6 ..... T. Wragg
000 Brownsea Of (G. Colling), 8-6 ..... P. Evans
202 Bahama (Fk. Butters), 8-5 ..... G. Richards
102 Voluntary (G. Colling), 8-5 ..... W. Nevett

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1. 0—High Peak.
1.30—Zaguinah.
2. 0—Rivaz.
2.30—Prestwick (nap).
3. 0—Vestal Virgin.
DOUBLE:
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044 Wily (S. Darling), 7-11 ..... P. Dorr
Jolly Roger (J. Jarvis), 7-10 ..... W. Lawder
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2.0—JULY STAKES (2-y-o), £20 each, £400 added. 5f.

Horse. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
11 Sky High (Earl), 9-0 ..... H. Wragg
111 River Pilot (Fk. Butters), 8-11 ..... G. Richards

Betting Forecast—9/4 agst. River Pilot, 3/1 Silver Paint, 5/1 Silver Mist, 8/1 Fishstar, 100/8 others.

2.30—ISLEHAM T.-Y.-O. STAKES, £5 each, £300 added. 5f.

Horse. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
000 River Patrol (F. S. Butters), 8-11 ..... C. Williams
Silver Paint (Fk. Butters), 8-11 ..... A. Wragg
0 Fishstar c. (Digby), 8-11 ..H. Packham
002 Unity Pool (Gaskell), 8-11 ..... J. Sirett
000 Slade Kirk (Jellis), 8-11 ..... Simpson
Sands c. (W. Pratt), 8-11 ..... G. Smith
04 Sandstroke (G. Colling), 8-11 ..W. Nevett
004 Prestwick (Jellis), 8-11 ..... R. A. Jones
5 Dorney Due (J. Payne), 8-11 ..... G. Littlewood
0 We Two (R. W. Colling), 8-11. F. Lane
Bonnie Noel (J. Jarvis), 8-8 ..... R. Smith
034 Song of Dawn (R. C. Colling), 8-8 ..... G. Richards
Pisces (Day), 8-8 ..... H. Wragg
423 Wildwood (Perryman), 8-8 ..... T. Lowrey
0 Poona Tom (Fk. Butters), 8-8 ..... C. Richards
00 Foxfrot (Lambton), 8-8 ..... M. Beary
3 Thomas (R. J. Colling), 8-8 ..... P. Evans

Betting Forecast—15/8 agst. Wildwood, 7/2 Song of Dawn f., 4/1 Prestwick, 11/2 Bonstroke, 10/1 Dorney Due, 100/8 Tiranis, 100/6 others.

3.0—BURY HANDICAP, £5 ea., £300 add. 5f.

Horse. Probable Starters and Jockeys.
00 Portobello (R. J. Colling), 9-9 ..... P. Evans
0 Black Strap (R. J. Colling), 9-5 ..... G. Richards
043 Thankoff (A. Waugh), 5, 8-9 ..... C. Richards
202 Silver Bill (Sadler), 5, 8-2 ..... P. Maher
Mr. Sadlers (R. J. Colling), 7-12 ..... P. Cheshire
00 Vestal Virgin (Lambton), 3, 7-10 ..... R. Potter
00 Flush (F. S. Butters), 3, 7-6 .. C. Williams
00 Respite (R. J. Colling), 4, 7-2 ..... G. Greening

Betting Forecast—9/4 agst. Black Strap, 7/2 ex. Silver Bill and Tipperoll, 8/1 Vestal Virgin, 100/8 others.

4,100 Gns. for Windsor Lad Yearling

TOP price at yesterday's session of Tattersall's first July Bloodstock Sales at Newmarket was 4,100 guineas paid by Mr. W. Hutchinson for the Banstead Manor Stud's yearling colt by Windsor Lad out of Kuanyin.

Next best was the 1,600 guineas purchase by H. Jellins, the Newmarket trainer, for Sir Oliver Lambart's Fallowfield, a yearling colt by Phideas out of Diomyth, own brother to Fythergoras.

Mr. T. Rimell, the Kinnersley trainer, purchased two very promising lots, a yearling colt by Lighthouse II out of Little Mary, for 1,450 guineas; and a yearling filly by Scottish Union out of Bosorts, for 1,250 guineas.

BOIS ROUSSEL NOMINATION

The nomination to the three stallions offered yesterday for the Blossoming Industry Fund of the Veterinary Educational Trust sold well.

The Maharaja Gaekwar of Baroda, who, on Monday, paid the world record fee of 4,600 gns. for a nomination to Nearco, secured a 1946 service to the 1939 winner, Bois Roussel, at 1,800 gns. Sir Abe Bailey's Lambert Simnel was bought by the Anglo-Irish Agency for 320 gns., and a service to Khaserwy went to Lady Moira Fitzgerald at 280 gns.

One of the sales recorded on Monday was cancelled yesterday because of a misunderstanding. Trade Route was advertised in the catalogue as holding an engagement in the St. Leger, which was at the option of the buyer.

"It had been overlooked," said Mr. E. Hall Walk, who had 1,600 gns. for the horse, that Trade Route had been scratched from the St. Leger, and had been wrongly advertised. The error was right as soon as it occurred."

The best of the later lots was the yearling colt by Bobsleigh, out of Lady Langden Mile, which was purchased for 3,000 gns. by Mr. J. Leach.

The total aggregate of yesterday's sale was 29,655 gns. for 43 lots, an average of 689 gns.

PRINCIPAL SALES

Property of Major G. R. Paxton.
Fifa Changeaire, b. c. by Khaled—Fifadour—Festinalis (Mr. J. Colling) 900
Red Flag, br. c. by Winalot—Hanna (Mr. H. Leader) 710
Property of Mrs. A. F. Bennett.
Gr. f. by Pherozshah—Ewenee (Mr. G. Laurence) 900
Property of Sir Oliver Lambart.
Fallowfield, b. c. by Phideas—Diomyth (Mr. H. Jellins) 1600
Property of Lt.-Colonel Cunningham.
B. f. by Lighthouse II—Magrada (Mr. G. Laurence) 530
B. c. by Winterhalter—Lundy Parrot (Mr. J. Thwaites) 900
Property of Mr. H. Wilson Fletcher.
Shekel, br. f. by Fry Up — Rosely Raine (Mr. E. Mercantes) 620
Property of Mr. T. Rimell.
B. f. by Portlaw II—Pomona Victoria (Mr. F. Leach) 2000
Ch. f. by Legend of France—Golden Pheasant (Mr. L. E. White) 510
Br. c. by Turkhan—Gisele (Mr. L. Rodrigo) 1000
Property of the Hon. Edward Harper Stud, Ltd.
B. c. by Lighthouse II—Little Mary (Mr. T. Rimell) 1450
B. c. by Wilderen Lad—Kuan Yin (Mr. W. Hutchinson) 4100
Br. f. by William of Valence—Peasant of Arcadia (Mr. F. Leach) 1300
B. f. by Scottish Union—Bosoms (Mr. T. Rimell) 1250
Br. f. by Lighthouse II—Marina (Mr. A. Forbes) 580
Ch. f. by Orlando Kin—Meraline (Mr. L. Cottrell) 1000
Property of Mr. H. E. Morris.
B. c. by Tai-Yang—Chivoyante III (Mr. A. Forbes) 1400
Property of Mr. C. B. Chartres.
B. f. by Gold Bridge—Blandana (Mr. F. P. Templeman) 900
Property of the Lawrence Stud.
Ch. f. by Signal Light—Zinziba (Mr. L. H. White) 500
Property of Middendorf Park Stud.
B. c. by Gold Bridge—Miss Tilly (Mr. T. F. Hollowell) 1200
B. f. by Diplomat—Prairie Girl (Mr. R. Hall) 620
Property of Mr. R. F. Morrish.
Ch. f. by Phideas—Crepette (Mr. F. P. Hollowell) 560
Property of Mrs. R. Glendinning.
B. c. by Bobsleigh—Lady Langdale (Mr. J. Leach) 3000

NEWMARKET RETURNS

1.30 (2f.)—Harvest Bug, b. c., by Bellacose—Hay Harvest, 8-11 (R. A. Jones), 2/1, fav. 1; Pandolfinian, 8-11 (T. Lowrey), 2; Cruel (Gdn. Richards), 6/1, 3. 14 ran. 2l.; sh. (Jellis.)

2.0 (1m.)—Sliding Light, b. c., by Hyperion—Broad Cast, 8-7 (D. Smith), fav., 1; Blue Smoke, 8-4 (E. Smith), 2/1, 2; Wayside Inn, 8-7 (H. Wragg), 7/1, 3. 7 ran. 3l.; hd. (R.-Rochfort.)

2.30 (1m.)—Lemberg, b. c., by Solstice—Hecate (Lord Derby), 8-11 (H. Wragg), 2/5, fav. 1; Peter Pan, 8-11 (Gdn. Richards), 4/1, 2; Pipeline, 8-11 (W. Nevett), 5/1, 3 ran. 2l.; 8l. (Earl.)

3.0 (6f.)—Honeyway, br. c., by Fairway—Honey Buzzard—Lord Milford, 4, 9-6 (E. Smith), 8/1, fav., 1; Golden Chest (M. Beary), 4/1, 2; Happy Grace (Gdn. Richards), 5/1, 3. 4 ran. 1l.; 2l. (J. Jarvis.)

3.30 (1m.)—Nebarian, b. or br. f., by Nearco—Springtime (Major L. B. Holliday), 8-4 (M. Beary), 9/4, fav., 1; Will, 8-4 (W. Nevett), 7/1, 2; Asperity, 8-4 (D. Smith), 3/1, 3. 12 ran. 2l.; hd. (R. W. Colling.)

4.0 (6f.)—Lovepalm, ch. f., by Fair Trial—Una (H.H. Aga Khan), 9/0 (Gdn. Richards), 7/1, fav., 1; Lemon, 8-0 (F. Maher), 9/1, 2; Sussex Martlet, 8-9 (E. Smith), 50/1, 3. 9 ran. 3l.; 2l. (Fk. Butters.)

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS

St. Leger Stakes—Count Martial, at 12.10 p.m. Monday.

MAGIC BRIDGE STRUCK OUT

Magic Bridge has been struck out of the Leopardstown £1,000 Hurdle race, to be run on Saturday.

MORRISON'S 113 NOT OUT

S. C. MORRISON gave an outstanding performance at College Park yesterday when, opening the N.I.C.C. batting with J. P. Riddle against Trinity, he carried his bat for 113 runs in an innings of nearly three hours. Almost half of his score was made by single runs.

With four wickets down, Trinity face the field to-day 710 runs behind.

N.I.C.C.—First Innings.

S. C. Morrison not out	113
J. P. Riddle c Perrin b Jeffares	0
W. Ritchie c Houghton b Jeffares	0
L. S. Peters b Kelly	27
C. C. McCreight c Kelly b Hood	3
R. Harrison c Houghton b Jeffares	0
J. Hamilton run out	4
J. Cathcart c Houghton b Hood	4
N. Hillen c Houghton b Houghton	0
S. McCracken c Houghton b Kelly	15
J. McCracken c Hood b Jeffares	4
Extras	20
Total	253

Bowling—Jeffares 4 for 41, Hood 3 for 69, Houghton 1 for 34, Kelly 2 for 50, Oliver 0 for 28. W. WASSELL.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY—First Innings.

J. Burrowes c McCreight b McCracken	8
D. A. Joughin b McFeeman	13
P. Kelly b McCracken	0
N. B. Hood not out	39
W. E. Houghton c McCracken b Morrison	23
Extras	4
Total (4 wkts.)	85

To bat—V. Kelly, F. R. Oliver, P. Sheehan, G. F. Jeffares, I. J. Quill, S. Bryans.

LISBURN WIN

A WEAK Leinster side made a correspondingly weak reply to Lisburn's declared scores of 192 for 9 in their match at Rathmines yesterday, the side being all out for 64 runs. Scores:—

Lisburn, 192 for 9, dec. (Hardcastle 50); Leinster, 64 (W. Allen 4 for 7).

SHORTT'S 7 FOR 18

R. H. Shortt took 7 wickets for 18 runs against the Ulster touring side, Queen's Island, at Anglesea road yesterday, Merrion winning by 46 runs.

Royal Bank (v. Bank of Ireland)—C. E. Bowman (capt.), W. F. Aylward, E. Hart, S. R. Keegan, R. B. Lilburn, G. J. Morgan, C. W. McGibney, D. McLean, and P. Twamley. G. W. White, F. E. Whitton; first sub., L. C. Patterson.

Bank of Ireland—J. Burke (capt.), L. Colgan, H. Doherty, A. W. Felton, E. W. Frith, S. Gordon, J. Heusion, D. F. Keady, J. Mattison, G. Milrooney, L. Orr.

SKERRIES S.C.

Rockabill Race—Fitzpatrick Cup—Start, 4.0. Finish—Tanya (2nd) (1). 6h. 33m. 3s. Jolly (per). 6-17-30. Tom (1st), J. Hartford (2). 6-48-22; Sheila (6), 6-48-32; Mist (4), 6-48-53; Ella (6), 6-50-30; Cesaur Gird (10), 6-57-8. 12 competed.

COMPANY NEWS

Northern Bank, 1/8.—Dividend for the past half-year of 4½ p.c. on the "A" shares, and of 2½ p.c. on the "B" shares.

Tilling (Alberto), Ireland.—Net loss for the year is reported at £604, which reduced the credit balance to be carried forward to £430. The last dividend paid was 5 p.c. for 1940, following 17½ p.c. paid in 1939.

Bell and Nicolson.—Interim 6 p.c. (against 5 p.c.).

G. R. A.—Interim 10 p.c. (against nil).

Wells (Contractors).—Dividend 15 p.c. for year (against 12½ p.c.).

OTHER EXCHANGES

BIRMINGHAM. — Alvis 7/4½, Austin "A" 17/6, Dennis 31/-, Dunlop 21/6, Rankin 28/-, Fords 43/-, Guys 4/3, Hunters 21/9, Lea Francis 3/-, Leyland 90/-, Morris 46/6, Rainald 83/6, Rolls 106/3, Rover 91/3, Singers 7/7½, Standards 37/-, Triplex 43/3, Turners 112/-, Lucas 88/9.

MANCHESTER.—Bleachers 14/11½, Bradford Dyers 34/9, "Shibbers" 7/6, Calico Printers 19/9, Coats 53/6, Courtaulds 56/-, Dunlop 51/-, Sewing Cotton 38/3, Velvet 15/3, Fine Spinners 24/9, Henry 28/6, Collieries 13/11½, Turner and Newall 84/-, Wall Paper Def. 43/6.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

Consols 2½	63⅝	63⅞	−⅛
2½ Nat. Def.	63⅝	63⅞	−⅛
2½ War Loan	103⅛	103¼	
Funding Loan	107⅝	107⅞	
3½ Victory	114⅝	114⅞	
5% Conversion	106⅝	106⅞	
4% Conversion	103⅝	103¾	
3½% Land	95⅛	94	
4½% Land	118½	118½	
3½% Local Loans	94⅝	95	−⅛
Nat. Def. 2½%	101	101⅛	

BONDS—RAILS—BANKS				INDUSTRIALS (Cont.)				MINES			
Brazil 5% Fd. A	82			Coates Ord.	41/0		−/3	Ang.-Amer. Inv.	48/0		
Do. 4% Fd.	77		+½	Coats	53/6			Ashanti	83/3		−/6
Great Western	86½		+½	Cons. Link	84/0			Bibiani	33/9		
Do. Def.	88		+¼	Do. Def.	84/0			Bryanor	7/4		
Do. 5% Pref.	103⅝			Courtaulds	56/-			Bushpan	7/-		
Do. 4% Red. Pf.	103⅝			Do. 4% Pref.	94/0			Consett	39/6		
Do. 4% Deb.	99		−¼	De La Rue	81/-			Cons. Mines	22/6		
L.M.S. Pf. Ord.	39½			Dunlop	51/-		−/6	Cons. Tin Fds.	22/9		
Do. Def.	24			Eadie Hoists	11/0		−/10	Cons. Zinc	77/-		−¼
Do. 1st Pref.	67		+¼	Electric Prod.	42/6		+/3	Crown	73/-		
Do. 2nd Pref.	54		+¼	Enfield Electric	44/0		+/3	Do. Def.	7/-		
Do. Def. Ord.	34¼		+¼	Ever Ready	43/0		+/6	East Rand	22/9		
Do. 4% Deb.	94¼			Ford	44/0			Geduld	7/-		
Do. 4% Pref.	84¼			Fox Bolsover	44/0			Govt. Areas	7/-		−¼
Do. 4% Deb.	99⅜			Gaumont	44/0			Kleinfontein	7/-		
L.N.E.R. Pf. Ord.	39½			Glaxo	76/-			Langlaagte	11/6		
Do. Def.	70			Godfrey Phillips	51/0			Libanon	33/0		
Do. Def. Ord.	34¼			General Electric	90/-			Luipaards	34/0		
Do. 4% Deb.	94¼			Glass	84/0			Van Ryn	11/6		
Do. 4% Pref.	84¼			Glaxo	76/-			New Cons. Wit	11/6		
Do. 4½% Deb.	99			Gramophone	84/0			New Gold	7/-		
L.P.T. 4% Deb.	94			Guest, Keen & Nettlefolds	76/10½		+1/4½	Rand	7/-		
Do. 4% Def.	84			Hawker Siddeley	76/10½		+1/4½	Rand Prop.	12/6		
Do. 4% Pref.	84			Hoover	84/0			Rietfontein	7/-		
Do. 4½% Deb.	99			Imperial Chem.	37/6		+/3	Simmer & Jack	11/6		
Do. 4% Deb.	94			Imperial Tobacco	84/0			Spassieta	34/0		
Do. Con. 4½%	99			Johnson & Firth Brown	84/0			Van Dyk	11/6		
Do. 4% Pref.	84			Lever Bros.	84/0			Van Ryn Gold	11/6		
Do. 4% Deb.	94			Lewis's	84/0			Vereeniging	11/6		
Do. 4% Pref.	84			Lindsay Parkinson	84/0			Vereeniging Est.	11/6		
Do. 4% Deb.	94			Lines Bros.	84/0			Vogelstruis	11/6		
Do. 4% Pref.	84			Lucas	84/0			Welkom	11/

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PUBLIC NOTICES

COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.
ACQUISITION OF DERELICT SITES ACT, 1940.
PRELIMINARY ORDER.
WHEREAS the plot of land described in the schedule to this Order (in this Order referred to as "the site") is situate in the sanitary district consisting of the County Borough of Dublin.
And Whereas the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of Dublin (in this Order referred to as "the sanitary authority") are the sanitary authority of the said sanitary district:
And Whereas the sanitary authority are of opinion that the site is a derelict site within the meaning of the Acquisition of Derelict Sites Act, 1940 (in this Order referred to as "the Act") and propose to acquire the site compulsorily under the said Act.
Now therefore the sanitary authority in pursuance of Section 3 of the Act hereby order and declare as follows:—
1. The sanitary authority propose to acquire the site compulsorily under the Act.
2. The sanitary authority will not proceed with the acquisition of the site under the Act if before the expiration of twenty-eight days from the making of this Order the site ceases to be a derelict site within the meaning of the Act.
SCHEDULE.
DESCRIPTION OF THE SITE.
Plot of ground upon which the premises known as Nos. 21 and 23 Norfolk Market, off Parnell street, formerly stood, situate in the parish of St. Mary and City of Dublin, area 23 sq. yards, which said plot is shown coloured red on a map of the site deposited in the Muniment Room, City Hall, Dublin, where it may be inspected at all reasonable times.
Given under the Seal of the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of Dublin this 7th day of July, 1945.
Present when the Corporate Seal of the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of Dublin affixed hereto, the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, also being present.
Corporation Seal.
JOHN M. EYRE, Solicitor, City Hall, Dublin.
P. J. HERNON, City Manager and Town Clerk.

NOTICE
The Occupier or any owner of the lands to which the above Order relates may NOT LATER THAN TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS AFTER THE MAKING OF THE ORDER apply to the District Court for the annulment of the Order.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS and REGISTER of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 20th July, 1945, both dates inclusive, for the purpose of warrants for the dividend payable on the 1st day of August, 1945, on the 12th July, 1945, to receive such dividend.
By order of the Board,
E. W. HEWSON, Secretary.
106 Henry street, Limerick.
11th July, 1945.

COMHLUGHT SUICHE EIREANN TEORANTA
Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of Commissioners of the Congested Districts invites Tenders for the Contract for the supply of Coal required for the Year ending 31st July, 1946, to the 31st day of July, 1945, at 12 o'clock noon, at which hour they will be opened in the presence of such of the Tenderers as may attend.
WALTER I. MURRAY, Secretary.
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NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.
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A copy of the Plans and Specifications may be obtained on application to this Office on deposit of £1, which will be refunded on the return of the Plans and Specifications.
The deposit should be made by cheque or postal order, crossed and made payable to the Secretary, Irish Land Commission, and should be forwarded by registered post, the envelope being clearly marked "Application for Plans." Cash or Notes should not be sent.
The Land Commission will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.
P. DEEGAN, Secretary.
Coimisiun Talmhan na h-Eireann (Irish Land Commission), Sraid Uachtarach Mhuirbhtheann (Upper Merrion Street), Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin).

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A copy of the Specification and Tender Form may be obtained on application to this Office.
The Land Commission will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.
M. DEEGAN, Secretary.
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JOHN HENRY MacCARTHY, of Stella Maris, Marine Drive, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, Barrister-at-Law, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 19 of 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, by his last will, dated the 16th day of April, 1935, bequeathed the following charitable legacies:—
Very Reverend Canon Boylan, P.P., or other the Parish Priest of St. Mary's, Mount Lacoshaire, the sum of £100 for the improvement of said church.
Very Reverend Canon Walsh, or other the Parish Priest of St. Joseph's Church, Glasthule, Dublin, the sum of £100 for the improvement of said church.
President, Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Glasthule, £60, for the purposes of that Society.
Magdalen Asylum, Gloucester street, Dublin, the sum of £100.
The Deceased died on the 15th May, 1944, and Probate of his will was granted on the 22nd day of January, 1945, to Major Edward Bernard Burke, one of the Executors therein named.
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ST. ANN'S, Dawson st.—10, Litany.
ST. STEPHEN'S, Upper Mount st.—10, Matins and Litany. 8, Intercession.
ALL SAINTS', Grange gorman.—9, Matins and Litany. 10, Children. 11, Evensong.
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1945.

THE NORTHERN ELECTION

All but four of the 52 seats of the House of Commons of Northern Ireland have been filled. The remaining four are those allotted to Queen's University, Belfast, and the manner of their filling will not be known until Friday; but there seems to be strong reason to assume that the contest there will result in the return of three Unionist members and one other. For the rest, while the official Unionist Party retains a commanding majority, it has lost three seats—two, in the Oldpark and Dock Divisions of Belfast, to Labour, and a third, in South Down, to the Nationalists. Whereas all the Ministers of Sir Basil Brooke's Government have retained their seats, a "sensational" defeat has been that of Sir Wilson Hungerford, Chief Whip of the Unionist Party, and a veteran of "no surrender" politics, to Mr. R. Getwood, who was last year's chairman of the Irish Trades Union Congress. These setbacks will not affect the hold of the official Unionists, but they are bound to give them food for thought. It is significant that the Nationalists, who fought the election very largely on the issue of partition, have improved their representation by four seats; it must be even more disquieting to Sir Basil Brooke to realise that Labour has stormed two of his strongholds. He may derive some comfort from the fact that a traditional stronghold of Nationalism likewise has been stormed—the Falls constituency of Belfast, which has been captured by Mr. H. Diamond, describing himself as a Socialist-Republican. It will be cold comfort, however, for, whether in the capacity of a Socialist or of a Republican, Mr. Diamond will have small inclination to vote with the Unionists.

It is easy enough to see why the Nationalists have improved their position. They possess a positive programme—the ending of partition—to set against the Unionist challenge of "not an inch"; and, in order to assert it, they have closed their ranks, reassembled their party machine, and voted solidly. A deeper explanation must be sought for Labour's striking victories in the Oldpark and Dock divisions. Many of the voters there, no doubt, were Nationalists, and threw their weight, in the absence of a candidate of their own, on the side of the Government's opponent; but there can be no denying that purely "Labour" considerations played a decisive part in the result. To some extent, the workers of Northern Ireland seem to be thinking along the same lines as the workers in Great Britain. They look upon the Unionist Party as "Tories," pledged to "reaction" and the maintenance of "capitalism," standard-bearers of a dying, but still dangerous, economic cause. They are in closer touch not merely with Great Britain, but with the world at large, than are the workers of the twenty-six counties; and they are affected more strongly by the trends of opinion of the outside world. Their attitude towards Sir Basil Brooke's Government is almost precisely that of many British workers towards Mr. Winston Churchill's: they refuse to believe that it is moving fast enough, or with real good-will, in the direction of social reform. Some day, perhaps, a similar phenomenon will manifest itself on this side of the border. It has not happened so far because of the comparative isolation of the twenty-six counties from the main stream of world events, and also because Mr. de Valera's Government is not yet regarded as the prop and support of "privilege."

Man or Machine?

What rights of action as an individual are retained by a member of a political party? This not unimportant question is raised by the report that the Fianna Fail Cork City Council has called for the resignation of Alderman Sean Cronin from the Cork Corporation, on the ground that he abstained from voting in the election of the Lord Mayor, instead of throwing in his vote on the side of the party nominee. In this case, the Fianna Fail candidate was defeated by 10 votes to 9—so that, if Alderman Cronin had been governed by the party decision, his vote might have brought about a different result. Mr. Cronin, therefore, is to be expelled from the organisation, and the National Executive of Fianna Fail is requested to ask him to resign his seat on the Corporation. The cause of the whole trouble is that Alderman Cronin decided to make up his own mind, instead of having it made up for him. He appears to have acted like an honest man, upon his own convictions. What title does this give the party to demand his resignation from the seat to which he was elected? If Alderman Cronin was elected to the Corporation purely as a representative of the Fianna Fail Party, it would be reasonable to claim that he had failed in his duty to his electors and that resignation was the only honourable course. Happily, however, we have not reached the stage at which elections are conducted on a "blanket" system; the voters do not merely give their mandate to a party and allow it to choose its own representatives—they elect individuals. The mere retention of this system argues that the personal merits of the candidate are to weigh with the voter, as well as the programme of the party to which he is attached. They entrust their interests to him; and, in our view, when he believes that the action of the party to which he is committed conflicts with those interests, he only fulfils his trust by following his judgment and refusing to submit to the crack of the party whip. Rather more frequent exercise of this right of independent thought by party members, both in local bodies and in the national Legislature, might have a beneficial effect upon the parties themselves. It would limit the power of the leaders to reserve all decisions to themselves, and to treat their members merely as weights to be thrown into a scale; it would impose upon them the obligation of convincing their own members of the validity of their actions. There is no virtue in a solid phalanx, if it depends upon compulsion rather than upon conviction. The unthinking backbencher has an easy life, but he is a rather inadequate representative of his constituents—unless he can convince himself that they have authorised him to bind himself, for better or for worse, to the policy decided by the party leaders. We are convinced that a councillor or a deputy fails in his duty if he follows blindly a dictated course of action, without respect to his judgment or his conscience. If he is not prepared to use his own mind, he might as well be replaced by a numbered tally in the hands of the party whip. He is elected as a man; we cannot believe that he is bound to resign if he chooses to act as a man.

Social and Personal

THE PRESIDENT received the following at Aras an Uachtarain yesterday:—Professor William Kearney (President Veterinary Council); Mr. F. F. O'Reilly and Mr. E. A. Plunkett (President and Secretary, Incorporated Law Society of Ireland.)

Lord Killanin has arrived at Spiddal House, Co. Galway.

Lady Gwenyth Cavendish, who arrived in Dublin this week from England, has left for the South of Ireland.

Major D. McCall has returned to Ennel Lodge, Mullingar.

Miss Denise Daly is staying in Dublin at present.

Colonel G. P. Hayes has arrived in Dublin from London.

Brigadier-General G. F. Langley, D.S.O., Commissioner in England and the Middle East of the Australian Red Cross Society Field Force, is staying with the Marquess of Headfort at present.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place very quietly at the end of the month, between A./Major J. D. Nixon, M.C., The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, only son of Major W. G. Nixon, D.L., of Belcoo, Enniskillen, and Third Officer Maureen Close, W.R.N.S., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Close, of Portsmouth.

Mr. Peter E. Dunn has returned to 2 Clare street.

Doctor Harry Lee Parker has relinquished his practice at 32 Upper Fitzwilliam street.

Dr. Robert de Courcy Wheeler has returned to Monkstown.

Dr. P. J. Roddy has changed his address from 38 Upper Fitzwilliam street to 30 Fitzwilliam place.

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Sharpley's topmakers, Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List.—3 Nassau street, Dublin.

ILLEGAL SUPPLY OF CONTROLLED GOODS

References to cross-border illegal trading were made at the Special Criminal Court, sitting at Collins Barracks, Dublin, yesterday, during the hearing of a case in which two men were charged with supplying controlled goods other than in accordance with a buying permit.

The accused men, who pleaded guilty to the charges, were:—Thomas Farrelly, Dromiskin, and Frederick Larkin, Chapel street, Dundalk. They were put back for sentence. Farrelly was charged with supplying six suit lengths and 37 yards of plain black suiting other than in accordance with a buying permit, and it was also alleged that he received no coupons from the traders to whom he sold the goods. Farrelly was charged similarly in respect of artificial silk.

Mr. M. C. Mullen, solicitor, who defended, said that the amount of cross-border illegal trading had swelled to vast proportions during the war. People had amassed rather large fortunes in this way. Two decent boys in the prime of life became very conscious of the fact that these people were making fortunes under their noses, and they were faced with a very great temptation. They were not in the class, however, who, having made large fortunes, could indulge in the luxury of buying public-houses and large farms at attractive prices.

Mr. G. D. Murnaghan, S.C., who prosecuted, said that, taking all the charges together, the total value of the goods was over £600, and by Larkin £122. Both of them admitted purchasing the materials from people who had smuggled them over the border and selling them without permits or coupons. The prices charged by the defendants were a little higher than the normal prices.

The Court adjourned until this morning.

OBITUARY

MR. ALBERT POWER, R.H.A.

The death took place in Dublin yesterday of Mr. Albert Power, R.H.A., the noted Irish sculptor. He won a scholarship to the Metropolitan School of Art in Dublin, and studied under John Hughes and Oliver Shepard. In London he won the gold medal award by the National Society of Art in the United Kingdom.

With him passes one of the outstanding figures of contemporary Irish Art. writes Mr. Arthur Power. He was a man of singularly attractive personality, direct in his manner, vital, and very human in his sympathies. His life was spent in Dublin, and he drew all his inspiration from the scene around him, stretching from the Dublin life of the Victorian days, with its rigid social ends, and then through its varied and violent changes to the crude realism of the present day, of which in part he was a victim. As a sculptor he did work of all kinds, from monumental and decorative work on a large scale, such as the gymnasium of the Mullingar Cathedral, to his highly individual groups, such as "The Bully," exhibited in the Academy some years ago, to his magnificent portrait of W. B. Yeats, which conveys the poet's intellectual grandeur, or the head of Kettle in St. Stephen's Green—a symbol of thoughtful resignation. Lately he had done the bust of Mr. de Valera, but it has not been exhibited yet. What seems always to have inspired Albert Power was direct contact, and he had a great gift for rendering the fine qualities of a personality or the essentials of a scene he had witnessed.

Particularly I remember the group, "The Bully," when it was shown in the Academy—a tragic and violent scene, glimpsed down a back street, of a big man, his shirt half ripped off, as, held back by his protesting woman, he raises his arm in defiance and rebellion against the world at large. It is sculptured with verve, force and understanding, and builds up into a fine ma... From such a scene of violence he could turn and model a Victorian child in her party dress, with its lace collar, her knee upon a chair, her petulant curly head turned aside, thrilled and excited, and yet expressing that formal elegance of fifty years ago which is now become but a faint memory in our minds, but which he has stabilised forever in his art.

The last time I saw him was in his stone yard in Berkeley road, polishing his fine sculpture in Connemara marble, "The Salmon," in which he so skilfully used the different qualities of the green marble to convey the foaming flood as the fish fight their way up through it. He talked about the different kind of stones to be found in Ireland, most of which we neglect; the excellent limestone we have, with tints from faint blue to a pearly grey; the different blacks to be found in Galway and Kilkenny, better, according to him, than the Egyptian blacks; and of the different granites and marbles—the white, which is beautifully mottled, coming from Galway, while in Cavan there is alabaster. He recalled how the old sculptors and stonemasons had used them in the churches, and he hoped they would be used again, and not allowed to lie in waste. He was always an interesting man of indomitable courage, loving his art, and despising only what he considered false. As time goes on his work will be more and more appreciated as that of the outstanding native sculptor of his time.

MAJOR SAMUEL PERRY

Major Samuel Perry, Moycue House, Moycullen, Co. Galway, whose death has occurred, was born at Wellpark, Galway. The son of Mr. James Perry, County Surveyor and founder of the former Galway Electric Light Company, Major Perry was educated at the Galway Grammar School. He was commissioned in the Indian Army and later in the Royal Field Artillery and served in West Africa during the first Great War. He was secretary of the Connemara Vermin Destruction Association.

He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Esther Coffey, matron of St. Bride's Nursing Home, Galway.

SOCIAL SECURITY

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—Your leading article to-day speaks of "the growing clamour for social services on the British level." But it does not mention, as it well might have done, the grave warning given by the Chancellor of the Exchequer last week that British standards of living may have to be reduced. The truth is that the fate of sterling is in the balance. Nor does your article mention the imminent peril to Ireland of a very serious loss in respect of our sterling assets.

The debate in the Dail last week disclosed something of the peril to our sterling assets which arises from the decline in value of the sterling £1 in the international exchanges. Some reassurance was tendered by a statement that Mr. Churchill had declared that its value would be maintained or even increased. But, of course, Mr. Churchill has no power to extract a quart of beer from a pint pot. What is, apparently, contemplated is to cut down Britain's *external* sterling debts, either by the creditors' consent or by manipulations of commercial and financial policy. Thus we may be faced with the unpleasant alternative of having to surrender—say—half our sterling assets or to see their purchasing power diminished by fifty per cent.

This is no chimaera. In London the official quotation for the sterling £1 is 4.03 dollars, and sterling is officially related to gold at 172s. 3d. (until recently 168s.) per ounce, and the sovereign stands at 40s. 3d. But in the East, where violent dislocations of values have long been showing, gold fetches 316s. per ounce (*Times* 9th July) and the sovereign (in rupees linked with sterling) at or about 80s.—whilst in Greece last autumn currency stabilisation was provisionally effected, with expert British and American assistance, on the basis of one gold pound or sovereign to four paper or sterling pounds. Latest advices from the U.S.A. (*Times* 9th July) say that Britain is unwilling to accept a loan of gold dollars to enable her to pay off the sterling balances which she owes abroad.

For this miserable predicament in which our country stands the Government is free from blame. The responsibility lies with the Irish Banking Commission, which was thought to be a concentration of all the best professional, expert and amateur financial and economic ability which the country could muster. That Commission insisted that all our Irish eggs must be kept in the British sterling basket. In vain I laid before it, ten long years ago, the demonstrable infirmities of sterling, especially if war should come. The document, and my supporting evidence, are on record. The Commission remained obdurate. I urged the purchase of from £40 millions to £50 millions' worth of gold at the then price of about 139s. per ounce. Such a purchase might not have altogether saved us, but with gold now at 316s. per ounce it would have broken our fall. But the Banking Commission would have none of it.—Yours, etc.,

HENRY HARRISON.

Dublin, July 10th, 1945.

Cruiskeen Lawn

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

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ROLL OF HONOUR

LYNCH — James Antony (6978973), C.Q.M.S., and Sergeant Instructor, June, 1945, youngest son of J. E. and Bridget Lynch, 1 Berkeley street, Dublin, killed by lightning in Germany while on active service with R.I.R. Deeply regretted by his wife, children, friends and relatives. May he rest in peace.

BIRTHS

ARMSTRONG—July 3, 1945, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, to Dorothy, wife of the Rev. R. C. Armstrong, Narraghmore Rectory, Ballyjore, Co. Kildare, a daughter.

CLARK—July 6, 1945, at Wentworth Nursing Home, to Tessie (Hastings), wife of Cecil Clark, Butterfield avenue, Templeogue, a daughter (D. G.).

CUTLER—June 26, 1945, to Anne, wife of William Cutler, 9 Blackheath Drive, Clontarf, a son.

LUCEY—July 2, 1945, at Glenvera Nursing Home, Cork, to Maeve, wife of James Lucey, Egmont place, Kanturk, a daughter.

McCABE—July 3, 1945, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Maude (*née* Retz), wife of Edward W. McCabe; Herbert Hill, Sandyford road, Dundrum, a son.

MULVIN—June 24, 1945, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, Madeline (*née* Adams), wife of James Mulvin, Beech Lawn, Edenderry, a son (John Joseph Patrick).

WOOTTON—July 6, 1945, at Red House, Mallow, to Peggy (*née* Williams), wife of Capt. P. D. Wootton, R.E., Chesterfield, Derby, a son.

MARRIAGES

MacMULLEN and TOLAND—June 25, 1945, at St. Peter's Church, Dover, Major Frank G. MacMullen, R.A., second son of the late W. J. MacMullen, and of Mrs. MacMullen, of Sligo, to Shelagh Elisabeth Toland, Q.A.I.M.N.S., daughter of the late Dr. C. K. Toland and Mrs. Toland, of Ulliesthorpe, near Rugby.

MULLEN and MARTIN—June 26, 1945, at St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire, by Rev. W. Martin, C.C., assisted by Rev. W. Hawkes, C.C.; William, second son of the late Edward Mullen and Mrs. Mullen, Marysborough, Leix, to Mary, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malachi Martin, of Glenageary, Co. Dublin.

WHITFORD and BRYAN—June 6, 1945, at St. James's Church, Castledermot, Co. Kildare, by the Rev. W. A. M. Cox, William George, son of Robert and Mrs. Whitford, Rosemount, Roscrea, to Frances Hannah (Peg), elder daughter of Mrs. Bryan and the late Wm. Bryan, Castledermot.

DEATHS

CALDWELL—July 9, 1945, 54 Grosvenor square, Sarah, second daughter of the late James and Susan Caldwell, of this city. Deeply regretted. "Peace, perfect peace."—Funeral, after 10 a.m. Service, Harold's Cross Church, on Thursday (Wednesday). House private. No flowers or letters, please.

HASKINS—July 9, 1945, at his residence, Usona, Wicklow, Nicholas H., formerly of Haskins Bros., Main street, Wicklow, aged 82 years. Service in Methodist Church to-day (Wednesday) at 2.30 p.m. Funeral leaving at 3 p.m. for Rathnew Cemetery. No flowers.

HEFFERNAN—July 10, 1945, Kate, widow of Andrew Heffernan, Moate House, Cabra West. Requiem Mass to-morrow (Thursday) at 10.30 o'clock (O.T.). Funeral immediately afterwards in adjoining cemetery.

HOURIHANE—July 9, 1945, at his residence, Mill street, Ballinasloe, John Hourihane, ex-N.T. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family, and a large circles of friends. R.I.P. Remains were removed to St. Joseph's Church, Ballinasloe, yesterday (Tuesday) evening. Office and Requiem Mass to-day (Wednesday) at 11 o'clock (O.T.). Funeral immediately afterwards.

KAVANAGH—July 8, 1945, at 29 Synge street, Arthur B. Kavanagh, late Secretary's Office, Incorporated Law Society. Funeral from house this (Wednesday) morning, arriving Mount Jerome, 12 o'clock. "In Thy presence is fullness of joy."

PIERCE—July 8, 1945, at a Dublin hospital, Edward W. (Eddie), 104 Sandford road, Dublin, beloved husband of Georgina, eldest son of the late Edward and Mrs. Pierce. Service at St. Kevin's Church, S.C. road, to-day (Wednesday), 11th inst., at 9.15 a.m. Funeral after to Mount Jerome Cemetery, 10 a.m. House private. English papers please copy.

POWER—July 10, 1945, at 18 Geraldine street, Dublin. Albert G. Power, R.H.A. Deeply regretted by his wife and family. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Joseph's, Berkeley road, this (Wednesday) evening, at 6.30 o'clock. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass, to Glasnevin.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found in Page 3.

IN MEMORIAM

EVANS—In loving memory of my beloved husband, Henry Joe Evans, of Eden Cottage, Greystones, who was called Home July 10th, 1934. "Till we meet again."

McDOWELL—In proud and loving memory of Lawrence Patrick McDowell, Royal Air Force, killed in action, 11th July, 1941, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDowell, 88 University street, Belfast; grandson of the late Robert McDowell, Ballymona, Shinrone, Co. Tipperary.

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